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Group Art Unit	1617
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Application No./Patent No.: 09/654,357

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Entitled: MATERIALS AND METHODS FOR THE TREATMENT OR PREVENTION OF OBESITY

University of Tennessee Research Foundation, a Non-Profit Corporation

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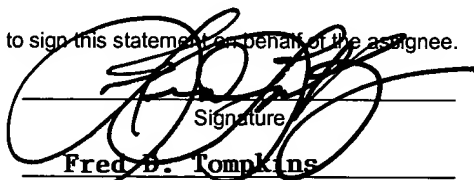
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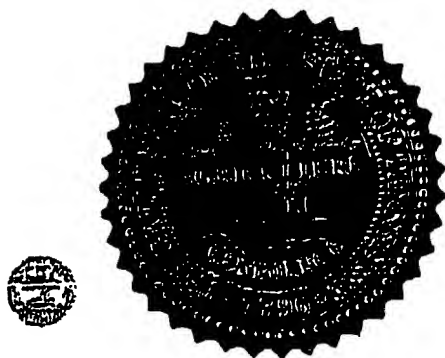
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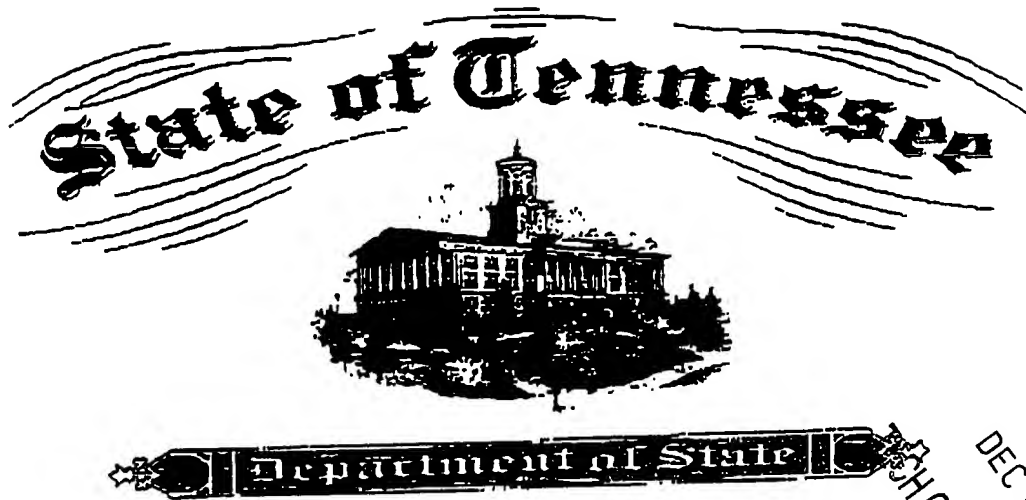
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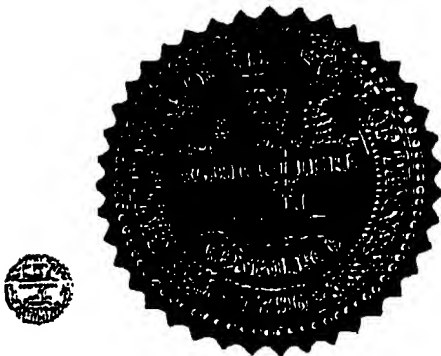


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